

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Carl G. de Mareken	Art Unit :	3626
Serial No. :	09/431,365	Examiner :	Rachel L. Porter
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Title :	METHOD FOR GENERATING A DIVERSE SET OF TRAVEL OPTIONS		

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING A  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: